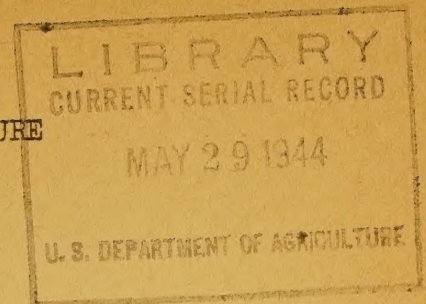


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AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D. C.



April 1, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM-70

Machinery Rationing-143

SUBJECT: Distribution of 20 Percent Reserve --  
Grain Blowers and Forage Blowers

The War Food Administration has carefully reviewed the proposed distribution of reserves of grain blowers and forage blowers, as submitted by most manufacturers, together with their 80 percent distribution plans, 1944 requirements as submitted by State committees, and other pertinent data. While the number of grain blowers and forage blowers to be available this year will probably not fill all demands, it is believed the over-all distribution as reported and proposed by the manufacturers will meet minimum needs of all States fairly satisfactorily.

The following action was, therefore, taken in regard to grain blowers and forage blowers (Item Nos. 109 and 190a, respectively):

Manufactures shall:

- (1) Distribute the 20 percent reserve of grain blowers and forage blowers without direction from the War Food Administration.
- (2) Notify each State AAA Chairman of the reserve allocation to his State before or at time of shipment.

It is suggested that State committees immediately advise manufacturers of additional need or any emergency needs which may arise. It should be clearly understood that the action outlined above does not remove grain blowers and forage blowers from Schedule II and that the State distribution plans covering 80 percent of manufacturers' production are not affected by this action. All grain blowers and forage blowers will still be rationed requiring a purchase certificate when transferred for use,







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April 8, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM- 71

Construction-34  
(Amendment 1)

SUBJECT: Distribution of AA-2 Ratings for Softwood Lumber

Since the supplemental AA-2 farm lumber program was first initiated last June, the lumber situation has become more critical. This situation is not expected to improve for some time and it probably will become more critical in succeeding months. Demands for lumber for overseas operations are increasing so that it is necessary to examine carefully all applications for AA-2 ratings for farm use. Because of the large backlog of unfilled military orders the WPB has found it necessary to tighten up on lumber releases for civilian use.

It is estimated that the Armed Forces will need 70 percent of the total lumber produced during 1944. Shipping lumber alone, used chiefly for crating and packaging munitions and supplies shipped to the war fronts, will require nearly half of all the lumber produced. The remainder must be divided among construction for the Armed Forces, for railroads, utilities, mining and heavy industries, farms, war housing, and other essential civilian requirements. The WPB is expected to issue more stringent regulations on lumber in the future in order that the limited supplies may be more effectively directed to essential uses.

Parts II and III below supersede Part II of Special Services Memorandum-21

I. Quotas:

The first quarter quota for 1944 expired on March 31. The WFA has received authorization to issue during the months of April, May and June of 1944, AA-2 ratings for 250 million board feet of softwood lumber for essential agricultural uses; 220 million board feet is being distributed in State quotas; 30 million board feet is being kept in a Washington reserve for supplemental needs.

The attached State quotas are established for the second quarter of 1944.

If a State committee believes that any portion of its quota will not be required for essential permitted uses before the last day of the quarter, the surplus should be returned immediately in order that it may be redistributed to States needing additional lumber for authorized uses.



II. Purposes for which certificates may not be issued:

- A. Maintenance and repair of farm dwellings.
- B. New construction of farm buildings which requires Conservation Order L-41 approval.
- C. New construction of farm dwellings exempted under Conservation Order L-41, excepting those included in Part III, D and E.
- D. Cases where emergency ratings are issued by the Red Cross.

III. Purposes for which certificates may be issued:

- A. Maintenance and repair of farm service buildings.
- B. Essential construction of farm service buildings exempted from Conservation Order L-41.
- C. Construction for which the State committee has granted emergency construction approval as authorized under Conservation Order L-41.
- D. Maintenance and repair of farm implements.
- E. The replacement of essential farm dwellings destroyed or damaged by fire, flood or tornado.
- F. The construction of farm dwellings required to maintain or secure farm labor, and exempt from Conservation Order L-41.

IV. Construction requiring L-41 approval:

It should be kept in mind that where L-41 construction approval is required, all ratings for lumber must be issued by the WPB. Where county committees believe that AA-2 ratings are required to obtain farm lumber for projects requiring L-41 approval, they may attach a recommendation to the L-41 application (Form WPB-617) that WPB assign the AA-2 rating. Where such recommendations are made, the county committee should certify that the county quota is adequate to cover the amount recommended. (Paragraph III C, Special Services Memorandum-21). Where WPB issues the recommended ratings, the quantity must be deducted from the county or State quota. County committees shall not recommend that AA-2 ratings be issued for new dwellings which will not be used for maintaining or securing farm labor.

V. Forms:

It is not necessary for State and county offices to reproduce Form SL-200. Requests for copies of this form, as well as for GA-201, will receive immediate attention.



# SECOND QUARTER 1944 LUMBER QUOTAS

For Issuance During April, May and June, 1944

(In million board feet)

<u>State</u>	<u>Quota</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Quota</u>
Connecticut	1.50	Arizona	.50
Maine		California	6.00
Massachusetts	1.00	Colorado	3.00
New Hampshire	--	Idaho	2.00
New Jersey	1.50	Kansas	9.00
New York	9.00	Montana	5.00
Pennsylvania	8.00	Nevada	.25
Rhode Island	--	New Mexico	.25
Vermont	.50	North Dakota	8.00
Northeast Division	21.50	Oregon	1.00
		Utah	1.00
Delaware	--	Washington	3.00
Kentucky	1.00	Wyoming	1.00
Maryland	1.50	Western Division	40.00
North Carolina	--		
Tennessee	--		
Virginia	1.50	Illinois	18.00
West Virginia	.50	Indiana	9.00
East Central Division	4.50	Iowa	27.00
		Michigan	7.50
Alabama	--	Minnesota	18.00
Arkansas	1.00	Missouri	11.00
Florida	--	Nebraska	11.00
Georgia	--	Ohio	10.00
Louisiana	.50	South Dakota	9.00
Mississippi	--	Wisconsin	17.00
Oklahoma	4.00	North Central Division	137.50
South Carolina	--		
Texas	11.00		
Southern Division	16.50		
		U. S. Total	220,000,000 board feet







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SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 71

Transportation - 10

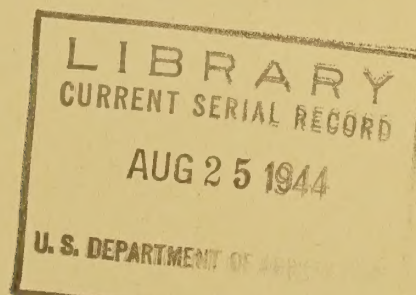
SUBJECT: Supplies of WPB-663 Application Forms  
for New Trucks

We receive from county committees frequent requests for a supply of Form WPB-663. We do not have a supply of this form in the State Office. Prior to July 1, 1944 we took care of these requests by calling the Local Allocation Office, ODT here in Fargo, asking that office to send the forms requested directly to county offices.

The Local Allocation Office was discontinued as of July 1 and the work formerly carried on by that office is now being handled by District ODT offices. It will be appreciated if you will henceforth send all requests for Form WPB-663 directly to your District ODT office. Usually automobile and truck dealers have a small supply of this form, but if the prospective applicant is unable to secure a form from his dealer, the District ODT office will usually be able to furnish one or several sets of Form WPB-663.

*Fred Port*

Fred Port, Acting Chairman  
State Committee









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April 8, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 72

Machinery Rationing - 144

SUBJECT: Distribution of the Remaining Tractors in the  
20 Percent Reserve

Reference is made to Special Services Memorandum No. 46, Machinery Rationing 134, relative to the partial distribution of the 20 percent reserve of tractors. The tractors released (approximately 54 percent of the total reserve) represented the quantity which at that time it seemed safe to assume would be produced by July 31.

We now have reports from all tractor manufacturers assuring us that their entire authorized production will be completed by July 31 unless difficulties not apparent at this time are encountered. A substantial number of these tractors will be produced during the month of July, which will result in deliveries of this portion of the production to the dealer level in August and in some cases as late as September.

Manufacturers have advised that immediate direction of the remainder of their authorized production is necessary to enable them to plan shipping schedules and maintain continuous carload shipments. This will also enable State Committees to eliminate any misunderstanding which may exist to the effect that the War Food Administration is holding completed tractors in reserve.

Under separate cover you are being notified of the direction of additional tractors to your State. This release completes the allocation of the entire tractor reserve on the original and supplemental War Food Administration production.

Please note that State Committees are required to notify manufacturers of the county distribution for these tractors within TWENTY DAYS from the date of the distribution notice. THIS IS IMPORTANT TO PREVENT ANY INTERRUPTION IN THE SHIPMENTS OF COMPLETED TRACTORS.

The timing of increases in county quotas as a result of this distribution is left entirely to the discretion of the State Committee. It is suggested that branch houses and distributors be consulted on deliveries before counties are notified of increases so as to prevent the issuance of letters of eligibility or purchase certificates too far in advance of actual deliveries.







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SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 72

Machinery Rationing - 26

SUBJECT: 1944-45 Program on Distribution of Milk Cans (WFO-104)

The purpose of this memorandum is to outline the 1944-45 program for the distribution of milk cans as authorized by WFO-104. As of July 1, WFO-104 and this memorandum supersede Supplementary Order No. 3 to WFO 14 and all previous instructions for the distribution of milk cans.

Beginning July 1, milk cans will no longer be rationed when sold for use in handling milk or milk products. On that date the purchase certificate requirement of the milk can program will be discontinued and any person, other than a Federal Agency, desiring to purchase new milk cans for use in handling milk or milk products may do so without restrictions.

Purchases by Federal Agencies including Military and for uses other than in handling milk or milk products can be made only upon written authorization by the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities.

The control of manufacturers' distribution only of 20, 32, and 40 quart milk cans will be continued, as will the reserve feature of the program.

Sufficient copies of WFO-104 will be sent to you so that distribution of the order can be made to dealers of milk cans within your county.

Responsibilities of Industry, Government and Users of milk cans in the 1944-45 milk can distribution program are as follows:

I. Responsibilities of the Industry

A. The manufacturer shall:

1. Distribute into any state a percentage of milk cans no greater than the percentage which his total transfers into such state in 1941, 1942, and 1943, was of his total transfers during those years into all states.
2. Hold in reserve 15 percent of his third and fourth calendar quarter 1944 production and 30 percent of his first and second calendar quarter 1945 production.
3. Within the first ten days of a calendar quarter, supply the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities, War Food Administration, with a report of his distribution during the previous quarter.
4. Fulfill during succeeding quarters any portion of his distribution into a State which he was not able to fulfill during any current quarter.



5. May request distribution from his reserve into any State, such request to be filed with the State AAA Committee for its recommendation.
6. Within 15 days before the end of the quarter, may distribute undirected reserve (a) as in "1" above, or (b) in accordance with a distribution plan submitted to and approved by the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities.

B. Dealers and Distributors:

1. May order, accept delivery and sell milk cans for use in handling milk or milk products within continental United States without restriction, except to a Federal Agency.
2. May request a transfer of milk cans from the manufacturers' reserve. Such request to be filed with the State AAA Committee, for the state in which the milk cans will be principally used, for its recommendation.
3. May transfer milk cans for export, for use by a Federal Agency and for uses other than in handling milk or milk products only upon written authorization by the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities.

II. The National Office, WFA, shall:

1. Receive reports from manufacturers showing their distribution by States during the previous quarter.
2. Direct the distribution of manufacturers' reserve, giving consideration to recommendations of State AAA Committees. Such reserve may be directed either from current production or from inventory.
3. Act upon manufacturers' proposed distribution patterns within the limits of I-A-6 above.
4. Act upon requests to export milk cans outside of the continental United States.
5. Act upon appeals for the use of milk cans for purposes other than handling of milk or milk products or for Federal Agency use.

III. State AAA Committees shall:

1. Issue appropriate information to County AAA Committees regarding the program.
2. Make prompt recommendations on requests for distribution of manufacturers' reserve and transmit such requests to the National WFA with the following information:
  - a. Statement that the manufacturer has informed the applicant



that he cannot supply milk cans from regular distribution in the current quarter.

- b. Justification that there is an immediate need for milk cans which cannot be filled from regular distribution in subsequent calendar quarters.
- c. Justification for the release of milk cans from the reserve. Such justification should show the number and use or uses to be made of the milk cans. Information should be given as to whether the cans are needed for replacement, conversion from cream shipments to whole milk shipments, increasing plant operations, and similar uses.
- d. The quantity and size of cans recommended for release.
- e. Name of the supplying manufacturer.

No such appeals should be recommended for the purpose of building distributors' or users' inventories.

IV. County Committees shall:

- 1. Make the provision of WFO-104 available to Community Committeemen and other interested persons.

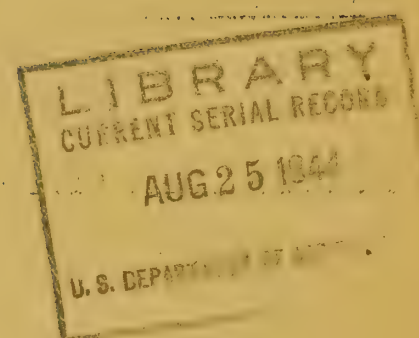
V. Action by persons needing milk cans for use.

- 1. Purchase milk cans from usual supplier without restriction when the cans are to be used in the handling of milk or milk products.
- 2. Apply to the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities, War Food Administration, Washington, 25, D. C., for permission to purchase new milk cans for uses other than handling milk or milk products, or for export outside of the continental United States, or for use by a Federal Agency.

*Raymond E. Morehead*

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Administrative Assistant  
State Committee







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SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 73

Feed 9

SUBJECT: Instructions for May Allocation of Oilseed Meals by  
State Committees and Advisory Committees

Food Production Order No. 9, Revision 3, Director's Order No. 8 designates the percent of set aside oilseed meals at 20 percent. However, it is the desire of the War Food Administration to return promptly to regular distribution channels any set aside meal not needed for State committee distribution. Therefore, the following procedure will be followed for May allocations:

- (1) States will be furnished their allocations as early as possible by wire, but not later than April 29.
- (2) State committees will meet with their feed advisory committees as soon as possible after the State allocation is received, but in no event later than May 5.
- (3) On the date of the meeting, meal will be allocated on the basis of previous instructions. Certificates for meal allocated should be forwarded to processor promptly after the meeting.
- (4) Any meal not allocated by May 5 shall be returned by wire on May 6 to the appropriate Regional AAA Director. (State tons, kind of meal, processor's name, plant location.)
- (5) The War Food Administration will dispose of any meal so returned by (a) reallocation to other needy States, or (b) release to processors.
- (6) Certificates of designated buyer and certificates of compliance where applicable must be furnished the processor by midnight of May 20. Any meal not so covered will automatically revert to the processor.
- (7) Since inventory limitations on oilseed meals have been extended to 60 days, effective March 29, 1944, inventories and expected deliveries from industry as shown on Form FPA 6 should be studied carefully. Allocations should be made in such a way that all applicants be brought up to the same percent of a 60 day inventory, after taking into consideration the inventory at the beginning of the month, plus deliveries expected from industry, less permitted use on the basis of average use during the comparable month of 1942 and 1943.







WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
Washington 25, D.C.Processor's Report to the Director of Food Production  
covering Proposed Production of Oilseed Meal,  
Cakes and Pellets.

This report is required pursuant to Food Production Order No. 9, Revision 3. One copy of this report must be filed on or before the 15th of the month preceding the period covered by the report, subject to the provisions of subsequent directives.

This report concerns our expected production of oilseed meal, cake and pellets during the month of \_\_\_\_\_ 1944, at our plant located at \_\_\_\_\_ (Address of Plant) and the expected distribution of that portion of such production not set aside under Order of the Director of Food Production.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

(Name of Firm)

(Official title of certifying officer)

## Oilseed Cake, Meal and Pellets (in tons)

	Soybean	Cottonseed	Peanut	Linseed
1. Estimated production (excluding all production under CCC Contract 106) during the month of _____ 1944.	_____	_____	_____	_____
2. Quantity to be set aside for above month pursuant to Director's Set-Aside Order.	_____	_____	_____	_____
3. Proposed destination by States of material to be distributed during month specified in item 1, excluding all production under CCC Contract 106, and excluding set-aside materials.	_____	_____	_____	_____
Name of State	_____	_____	_____	_____
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$$\frac{dx}{dt} = P(x, y, z), \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = Q(x, y, z), \quad \frac{dz}{dt} = R(x, y, z),$$

where  $P, Q, R$  are continuous functions of  $x, y, z$  in a certain domain  $D$  of the space  $(x, y, z)$ . It is assumed that the functions  $P, Q, R$  satisfy the conditions of the theorem of existence and uniqueness of solutions.

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$$\frac{dx}{dt} = a_1x + a_2y + a_3z, \quad \frac{dy}{dt} = b_1x + b_2y + b_3z, \quad \frac{dz}{dt} = c_1x + c_2y + c_3z,$$

where  $a_i, b_i, c_i$  are constants. The author shows that in this case, the system of equations can be solved by the method of variation of parameters. The general solution of the system is given in explicit form.

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where  $a_i$  are constants. The author shows that in this case, the system of equations can be solved by the method of variation of parameters. The general solution of the system is given in explicit form.

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where  $a_i$  are constants. The author shows that in this case, the system of equations can be solved by the method of variation of parameters. The general solution of the system is given in explicit form.

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where  $a_i$  are constants. The author shows that in this case, the system of equations can be solved by the method of variation of parameters. The general solution of the system is given in explicit form.



WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
Office of Production  
Washington 25, D.C.

April 7, 1944

To: All Oilseed Processors

Enclosed herewith are copies of FPA Form 3 on which you are to report your estimated May production and distribution of oilseed meals (unless you are operating under CCC Contract 106 on soybeans) as indicated on the Form. One copy is to be mailed to the Feed and Livestock Branch, Office of Production, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C., on or before April 15. A separate report is to be filed for each plant.

If you will not be in production during May, please mark attached FPA Form 3 "No Production" and return as indicated above so that we may have complete reports on all processors.

Nearly all processors filed their March 15 FPA Form 3 Reports on time and as a result, the War Food Administration was able to make allocations of oilseed meals to the states on March 28 and 29.

Your particular attention is called to a new provision which has been added to the Director's set-aside order for May. (Paragraph (b)(5) Director's Order No. 8, enclosed). This provision is designed to assure processors that all Designated Buyers will supply processors, or their agents, with a Compliance Certificate or Statement, and shipping instructions by the 20th of the month. Not many Designated Buyers have been lax in this respect, but those few must now comply or lose their tonnage.

We are attempting to match the splendid cooperation which you are giving us.

Yours very truly,



Walter C. Berger, Chief  
Feed and Livestock Branch

Enclosures







TITLE 7 - AGRICULTURE

CHAPTER X - WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
(Production Orders)

(Food Production Order No. 9, Revision 3, Director's Order No. 8)

PART 1220 - FEED

SET ASIDE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCESSORS OF OILSEED FOR MAY, 1944

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by Food Production Order No. 9, Revision No. 3 (8 F.R. 16960), issued on December 18, 1943, and to effectuate the purposes of such order pertaining to set aside requirements for oilseed meal produced by processors, and to secure an equitable distribution of such oilseed meal, it is hereby ordered, that:

§ 1220.10 Set aside requirements for processors of oilseed for May 1944 -  
(a) Amount to be set aside. Each processor shall set aside at each processing plant operated by him 20 percent of his production of cottonseed, soybean, linseed and peanut oil meal, cake or pellets (hereinafter called "oilseed meal"), during May 1944. The amount of production upon which the quantity of oilseed meal set aside is based shall not include any oilseed meal produced for the Commodity Credit Corporation under the provisions of contracts designated "CCC Soybean Form 106, 1943 Crop", and this order shall not apply to oilseed meal produced under such contracts.

(b) Sale and delivery of oilseed meal set aside. (1) Oilseed meal set aside pursuant to this order shall not be sold or delivered by any processor except to a buyer named in a Certificate of Designated Buyer issued by the Agricultural Conservation Committee for the State or county in which the buyer's farm or establishment is located or by the Chief of the Feed and Livestock Branch, Office of Production, War Food Administration. The certificate shall be in substantially the following form:

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATED BUYER

\_\_\_\_\_ is authorized to purchase and accept delivery of \_\_\_\_\_ (tons - pounds) of oilseed meal from amounts set aside by \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, pursuant to the order of the Director of \_\_\_\_\_ of Processor)

Food Production. (If, for any reason, delivery of oilseed meal cannot be made, this certificate shall be returned by the processor to the issuing Agricultural Conservation Committee with the reasons why delivery was not made.)

Food Production Administration

\_\_\_\_\_ Agricultural  
Conservation Committee of

\_\_\_\_\_ (Address)

J. B. Hutson, Director

By \_\_\_\_\_ (Chairman)

Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_



(2) Agricultural Conservation Committees may commence issuing Certificates of Designated Buyers pursuant to this order during April 1944, and processors may commence delivery of oilseed meal pursuant to such certificates during April 1944. A processor shall be entitled to credit such deliveries made in April 1944 against the quantity of oilseed meal which he is required to set aside in May 1944, if he makes the report provided for in paragraph (d)(1) hereof.

(3) Shipment of any oilseed meal, set aside pursuant to this order must be made by a processor within twelve days of the receipt of any such certificate.

(4) The original and the processor's copy of appropriately executed certificates shall be sent by the person responsible for their issuance directly to the processor and a copy shall be sent to the designated buyer. The designated buyer and the processor shall arrange the details of transfer of materials designated on the certificate, using such intermediary parties as the processor may designate. The processor who delivers such oilseed meal pursuant to a certificate shall file such certificate as required under the provisions of paragraph (d)(2).

(5) No processor shall be required to honor a Certificate of Designated Buyer unless the designated buyer furnishes the processor or his agent, before midnight of May 20, 1944, with (1) shipping instructions, and, in the case of designated buyers other than feeders, (2) the statement required by paragraph (h) of Food Production Order No. 9, Revision No. 3. If a processor elects not to honor a Certificate of Designated Buyer under the provisions of this paragraph, he shall return such certificate to the issuing office and he may dispose of the oilseed meal covered by the certificate free from the restrictions of this order.

(c) Existing contracts. If this order makes it impossible for a processor to fill all of his contracts for the delivery of oilseed meal, which are in existence on the date of the issuance of this order, he shall not, by reason of this order, refuse to make delivery of more than 20 percent of the oilseed meal covered by any such contract.

(d) Processor's reports - (1) Report of tonnage for April delivery for credit against May set aside. If a processor wishes to make deliveries of oilseed meal pursuant to this order in April 1944 for credit against his set aside in May 1944, he must report to the Director in writing (or by telegraph) not later than April 25, 1944, the estimated tonnage of each kind of oilseed meal which will be available at each of his processing plants for delivery in April 1944 for such credit. Each processor may also submit such additional information as he deems pertinent to the allocation or distribution of oilseed meal to be set aside under this order.

(2) Report of tonnage set aside and deliveries made. Each processor subject to this order shall file a report with the Director on FPA Form 2 not later than June 10, 1944, for each plant operated by him. Certificates of Designated Buyers, pursuant to which oilseed meal has been delivered, shall be attached to and made a part of FPA Form 2.



(e) Certificates issued by County Agricultural Conservation Committees.  
No County Agricultural Conservation Committee shall issue Certificates of Designated Buyers unless authorized to do so by its State Agricultural Conservation Committee.

(f) Communications. All reports required to be filed hereunder and all communications concerning this order, unless instructions to the contrary are issued, shall be addressed to the Director of Production, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C., Ref: FPO 9-8.

NOTE: The record keeping and reporting requirements of this order have been approved by the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.

(54 Stat. 676, 55 Stat. 236, 56 Stat. 176; E.O. 9280, 7 F.R. 10179; E.O. 9322, 8 F.R. 3807; E.O. 9334, 8 F.R. 5423; E.O. 9392, 8 F.R. 14783; FPO 9, Rev. 3, 8 F.R. 16960)

Issued this 7th day of April, 1944.

J. B. Hutson  
Director of Production





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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
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Fargo, North Dakota  
July 13, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 74

Construction - 14

SUBJECT: Lumber

All previous instructions relative to the issuance of lumber certificates to farmers are cancelled and are replaced with the following instructions, effective July 1, 1944. A new program governing the distribution of all lumber to all consumers is established by the WPB's Order L-335 (amended June 23, 1944). Distribution to farmers under the order is described in this memorandum. Accordingly this memorandum supersedes all previous ones on the subject and, effective August 1, 1944, Order L-335 amended supersedes all previous Lumber Orders (L-218, L-290, M-208, M-361 and M-364). Limitation Order L-41 as amended is not affected. Interpretations and a simplified explanation of Order L-335 amended are being prepared by the War Production Board and copies will be forwarded to county offices. Every effort should be made to place this information in the hands of all dealers and small sawmill operators in every county.

The plan contemplates the balancing, on a national scale, of deliveries on approved orders against the production of lumber. Orders are approved only for essential purposes. Small quantities of lumber will be released to consumers for less essential purposes whenever essential demands are satisfied and the volume of production permits such action. The rating pattern established for the purpose of governing shipments gives preference to the Armed Services.

Under the amended Order L-335, WPB has authorized the War Food Administration to administer the farm lumber program. State quotas are established and "Farmer's Lumber Certificates" will be issued through State and county committees.

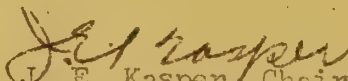
The War Food Administration has been assigned a rating of AA-2 for lumber to be used for most urgent needs, and an AA-3 rating for permitted uses which are less urgent.

Form FL-201, "Farmer's Lumber Certificate" replaces Form GA-201, "Preference Rating Certificate" and is a certified order with an AA-2 or AA-3 rating. It becomes void if not placed with a dealer within ten days after issuance. "Farmer's Lumber Certificates" may be issued for "on-farm" construction (excluding farm houses) within limitation of Conservation Order L-41, emergency construction approved by State committee, replacement of farm houses destroyed by fire or other disaster coming within the limitations of Order L-41, maintenance and repair of farm buildings (excluding farm houses), farm implements, and other essential uses contributing to food production. For details see Part II of the attached operating procedure.

"Farmer's Lumber Certificates" may not be issued for: farm construction (including farm houses) requiring WPB approval, construction or remodeling of farm houses under the \$200.00 limit of Order L-41, maintenance and repair of farm houses, maintenance, repair, and construction of "off-farm" buildings or for construction of new wooden fences. For details see Part III of the operating procedure.

County committees will act in accordance with instructions contained in Part V of the Operating Procedure, accept FL-200 applications, review and approve or disapprove applications, issue Form FL-201, "Farmer's Lumber Certificate" for approved farm uses and make such reports as requested on dates scheduled. Form FL-200, "Application for Farmer's Lumber Certificate" replaces Form SL-200, "Application for Preference Rating of A-2 on Softwood Lumber for Essential Farm Construction".

The farmer makes application of Form FL-200 at the County Agricultural Conservation Office, receives Form FL-201, "Farmer's Lumber Certificate" upon approval of application, and must deliver the certificate to his supplier within ten days. He will need a certificate when he purchases from or has logs sawed at a mill producing more than 100,000 board feet per year, or purchases from dealers more than 300 board feet per quarter. He does not need a certificate if he has logs sawed at or buys lumber from a sawmill producing 100,000 board feet or less per year, purchases from dealers less than 300 board feet per quarter, is able to purchase free lumber (limited amount WPB permits dealers to see without certificates), or for WPB approved L-41 construction. For details see Part VI of the operating procedure.

  
J. E. Kasper, Chairman  
State Committee

Attachments



## OPERATING PROCEDURE

### Farm Lumber Program

#### I. WFA Allotments:

- A. The War Production Board has authorized the War Food Administration to issue farmers' certificates for lumber for essential "on-farm" agricultural uses. The procedure for issuing these certificates is similar to that followed by AAA committees under the AA-2 supplemental program. During the third quarter of 1944 (July, August and September) county committees may issue certificates against the quotas assigned herewith (see Page 6 of this Procedure). The War Food Administration has been assigned a total 225 million board feet on AA-2 ratings and 700 million board feet on AA-3 ratings. A reserve of 25 million board feet on AA-2 ratings and 24 million board feet on AA-3 ratings is being kept in Washington for supplemental needs. North Dakota has been assigned a quota of 4,500,000 board feet on AA-2 ratings and 13,300,000 board feet on AA-3 ratings.

Records have shown that quarterly agricultural requirements for lumber vary due to seasonal uses in the following approximate proportions:

#### Percent of Annual Requirements

1st Quarter	15
2nd Quarter	35
3rd Quarter	35
4th Quarter	15

Accordingly, County Committees should realize that the fourth quarter quotas may be less than half of that allotted in the third quarter.

In issuing certificates, Committees should recognize the critical shortage of lumber and should insist that other less critical material be used whenever possible. This is in line with the general policy being pursued with regard to approval of L-41 applications.

#### II. Purposes for which Farmer's Lumber Certificates may be issued:

- A. Construction of farm buildings (excluding farm houses) which come within the \$1,000 limitation of Conservation Order L-41.
- B. The rebuilding or restoring of farm buildings (excluding farm houses) damaged or destroyed by fire, flood, tornado, earthquake, acts of war, or the like, if the cost of rebuilding or restoring is less than \$5,000 where immediate reconstruction is determined by the State AAA Committee to be essential to the agricultural program.
- C. Construction necessary to prevent threatened loss of farm products, where immediate construction is determined by the State AAA Committee to be essential to the agricultural program.
- D. The rebuilding or restoring of a farmhouse damaged or destroyed after July 1, 1943, by fire, flood, tornado, earthquake, act of war, or the like, if the cost of rebuilding or restoring is less than \$5,000. This authority may not be used where widespread damage occurs. Where widespread damage takes place, the Red Cross is authorized to issue certified rated orders in order to secure the lumber required for reconstruction.

- E. The construction of farm labor buildings required for housing seasonal labor which come within the \$1,000 limitation of Conservation Order L-41.
- F. Maintenance and repair of farm buildings (excluding farm houses).
- G. Maintenance and repair of farm implements.
- H. Other essential uses contributing to food production.

III. Purposes for which Farmer's Lumber Certificates may not be issued:

- A. Construction of farm buildings (including farm houses) the cost of which exceeds the limitations of Conservation Order L-41 and where the War Production Board's approval of construction is required.
- B. Construction or remodeling of farm houses which come within the \$200 limitation of Conservation Order L-41.
- C. Maintenance and repair of farm houses.
- D. "Off-farm" construction.
- E. Maintenance and repair of "off-farm" building.
- F. New wooden fences.

IV. L-41 construction approved by War Production Board.

When a WPB 617 application is approved, the War Production Board assigns a preference rating for all materials required for the project. This includes any materials for which waivers have been requested and approved. Lumber used in the construction of L-41 projects approved by the War Production Board on Form WPB-617 is not deducted from County or State quotas. The authorization provides that the order for the lumber approved by the War Production Board may be placed by the farmer as a certified and rated order so that the dealer may obtain delivery.

V. County Committees

A. Farm Applications and Certificates

1. Form FL-200 "Application for Farmer's Lumber Certificate" and Form FL-201 "Farmer's Lumber Certificate" (copies attached) shall be used. When available, supplies of these printed forms will be forwarded to county offices under separate cover. In the meantime mimeographed copies of both of these forms will be available until printed copies are received.
2. County Committees review applications and issue certificates. Application Form FL-200 should be prepared in duplicate if the farmer wishes to retain a copy. The original must be placed on file in the county office. Where applications are approved, County Committees will issue "Farmer's Lumber Certificate" Form FL-201, which can be signed only by the Chairman or his authorized representative. Only one copy of the Form FL-201 should



be completed and issued to the applicant. If the use of the lumber is urgent in the judgment of the County Committee, an AA-2 rating may be issued and should be recorded when issued in the space provided on Form FL-201. Otherwise, an AA-3 rating should be issued by recording the rating in the space provided on Form FL-201. The AA-3 rating should be issued, recording the rating in the space provided on Form FL-201. The AA-2 and AA-3 ratings may be issued only for the approved uses outlined in Part II and county quotas must not be exceeded.

3. A numbering system must be established for identifying certificates issued. A record of the certificates issued and the amount of lumber involved should be recorded in the spaces provided on Form FL-200. A separate record must be kept in the County office of the amount issued on AA-2 ratings and the amount issued on AA-3 ratings. For convenience in filing and to facilitate the keeping of accurate records and the preparation of reports, the certificates for AA-2 ratings and those for AA-3 ratings should be numbered in separate series. The serial number should be preceded by the State and County code, and a symbol to designate the rating (AA-2 or AA-3). For instance, the first certificate issued by Adams County during the 3rd quarter for AA-2 rating would be numbered 46-001-AA2-1; on the second certificate for an AA-2 rating, 46-001-AA2-2 etc. The first certificate issued by Adams County for an AA-3 rating would be numbered 46-001-AA3-1; the second certificate for an AA-3 rating, 46-001-AA3-2 etc.

We suggest that three files be set up for filing the Forms FL-200 on which the action of the County AAA Committee is recorded; 1 file for applications approved for an AA-2 rating, 1 file for applications approved for an AA-3 rating, and 1 file for applications disapproved.

4. Certificates become void if not placed with a distributor within ten days after issuance. In cases where certificates become void because of the expiration of the time limit, the County Committee either should issue a new certificate to the applicant and make no adjustment in its quotas or cancel the void certificate and add an equivalent amount of lumber (as indicated on the void certificate) to the county quota for reassignment to other applicants.

#### B. Small Sales (A sale not exceeding 300 board feet)

In order to facilitate the issuance of ratings (AA-3 only) for small amounts of lumber, County Committees may elect to utilize the procedure listed below:

1. Provide a supply of application forms to all dealers in the county for signature of the individual farmers.
2. Make arrangements with all dealers in the county to permit them to submit to County Committees at intervals of usually a week or ten days Form FL-200 applications signed by farmers. However, the total of the applications accumulated and presented to the County Committee by a dealer at one time shall not exceed 3,000 board feet.

3. County Committees may approve such individual applications only when:

- (a) The sale is for an approved use as outlined in Part II.
- (b) Sales by all dealers for use on any one farm do not exceed 300 board feet of lumber in any one quarter.
- (c) The sale was made after June 30, 1944.
- (d) There is a sufficient amount of lumber in the County quota.

4. The County Committee, upon receiving the applications, may issue the dealer a Farmer's Lumber Certificate made out in his name and bearing an AA-3 rating. Under this optional small sales procedure County Committees must not issue AA-2 ratings to dealers. Only AA-3 ratings may be issued under this procedure.

#### C. Quotas

Each county is herewith allocated a definite quarterly quota of AA-2 and AA-3 ratings on lumber for farm use (see page 6 of this procedure). These quotas are based largely on the value of farm buildings (excluding dwellings) as reported in the U.S. census. If the county committee believes that any portion of its quota will not be required for essential farm uses before the end of the quarter, the surplus should be returned immediately in order that it may be redistributed to counties needing additional lumber for authorized uses. If any county committee believes its quota is inadequate, it may appeal for a supplemental allotment. When returns are made or supplemental allotments requested, the amount of lumber involved on each rating should be specified. All such appeals must be well justified. Care must be taken to avoid having badly needed lumber tied up in unused quotas. No unused portion of the current quarter allotment can be carried over for use in the following quarter. No certificates can be issued against 3rd quarter quotas after September 26, 1944.

#### D. Reports

A report (Form FL-202, attached) by the county committee must be prepared in duplicate on the 26th day of each month. The original must be mailed to the State AAA Committee on that date. The duplicate should be filed in the county office for reference in preparing the report for the following month. This report shall cover a period of one month beginning with the 27th and extending through the 26th of the following month. Certificates issued after the 26th should be included in the report for the following month. Form FL-202 is similar to the reports required under previous procedure with minor changes to provide for information on the status of both AA-2 and AA-3 quotas. These reports must be accurate and must be submitted promptly in order that all county reports can be summarized and the State report prepared and submitted to the War Food Administration not later than the 2nd of each month.

#### VI. The Farmer:

A. May secure lumber without a certificate when:

- 1. He buys from a sawmill producing less than 100,000 board feet a year.



2. He has logs sawed into lumber at a sawmill producing less than 100,000 board feet a year.
3. He buys from his dealer who has an inventory of free lumber for dwelling maintenance and repair ( a limited amount which the War Production Board permits the dealer to sell without ratings or certificates).
4. He purchases a total of less than 300 board feet from all dealers in a calendar quarter. (Not applicable in those counties which do not elect to have the small sales procedure).

B. Must have a certificate when:

1. He has logs sawed at a sawmill producing more than 100,000 board feet of lumber per year. (Certificate is required from farmer by the sawmill before lumber cut from farmer's logs may be released).
2. He purchases more than 300 board feet in a calendar quarter.
6. Farmer's Lumber Certificates may be obtained only upon application made on Form FL-200 approved by the County Committee.
- D. May purchase lumber from his usual supplier even though the supplier is located in another County or State.
- E. If he does not use his certificate within the time limit, he must surrender it to his County Committee.

VII. Forms

1. FL-200 "Application for Farmer's Lumber Certificate". Supplies of printed forms will be forwarded to county offices at a later date. A small supply of mimeographed forms is being forwarded now and additional copies may be obtained from the State Office.
2. FL-201 "Farmer's Lumber Certificate". This form replaces the old form GA-201 and must be used after June 30, 1944. Supplies of printed form will be forwarded to county offices at a later date. A small supply of mimeographed forms is being forwarded now and additional copies may be obtained from the State Office.
3. FL-202 "County Lumber Distribution Report". This form replaces the old form SL-203. Supplies of this form are being forwarded to county offices.





# THIRD QUARTER 1944 LUMBER QUOTAS

For Issuance During July, August and September, 1944

<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>AA-2 Rating</u>	<u>AA-3 Rating</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>AA-2 Rating</u>	<u>AA-3 Rating</u>
ADAMS	25,000	75,000	MERCER	30,000	90,000
BARNES	95,000	280,000	MORTON	75,000	225,000
BENSON	60,000	180,000	MOUNTRAIL	50,000	150,000
BILLINGS	15,000	35,000	NELSON	70,000	200,000
BOTTINEAU	100,000	300,000	OLIVER	25,000	75,000
BOWMAN	20,000	55,000	PEMBINA	100,000	300,000
BURKE	50,000	150,000	PIERCE	40,000	130,000
BURLEIGH	40,000	120,000	RAMSEY	75,000	225,000
CASS	175,000	525,000	RANSOM	50,000	150,000
CAVALIER	90,000	260,000	RENVILLE	35,000	105,000
DICKET	50,000	150,000	RICHLAND	125,000	375,000
DIVIDE	40,000	130,000	ROLETTE	35,000	110,000
DURN	35,000	105,000	SARGENT	50,000	150,000
EDDY	25,000	75,000	SHERIDAN	30,000	90,000
EMMONS	40,000	120,000	SIOUX	15,000	35,000
FOSTER	35,000	105,000	SLOPE	20,000	50,000
GOLDEN VALLEY	20,000	60,000	STARK	50,000	150,000
GRAND FORKS	120,000	360,000	STEELE	50,000	150,000
GRANT	40,000	115,000	STUTSMAN	100,000	300,000
GRIGGS	50,000	150,000	TOWNER	50,000	150,000
HETTINGER	40,000	120,000	TRAILL	75,000	225,000
KIDDER	25,000	80,000	WALSH	125,000	375,000
LAMOURE	60,000	180,000	WARD	100,000	300,000
LOGAN	30,000	105,000	WELLS	75,000	225,000
MC HENRY	60,000	185,000	WILLIAMS	75,000	225,000
MC INTOSH	30,000	105,000			
MC KENZIE	40,000	120,000			
MC LEAN	65,000	195,000			
			STATE TOTAL	3,000,000	9,000,000





APPLICATION FOR FARMER'S LUMBER CERTIFICATE

This application may be prepared in duplicate, if the applicant desires to retain one copy. Forward the original copy to your County Agricultural Conservation Committee. Approval cannot be granted unless your request is limited to lumber essential to the food and fiber production program. Plywood, millwork, or building materials other than lumber should not be requested on this application.

1. Applicant's name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_
2. Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street or R.F.D.) (City) (State)
3. Address where lumber is to be used \_\_\_\_\_
4. Lumber required for: maintenance and repair \_\_\_\_\_ board feet by \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)  
new construction \_\_\_\_\_ board feet by \_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)
5. Describe purpose for which this lumber is to be used and explain why its use is necessary for the production of food or fiber.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. Explain why tile, brick, concrete, composition wallboards and shingles or other materials cannot be used in place of lumber.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. If lumber is required for new construction give estimated cost, including cash cost of all materials and labor \_\_\_\_\_
8. For each structure built on the farm since Jan. 1 of this year give:

Kind of building	:	Cost	:	Check approval
a. _____	:	\$ _____	:	
	:		:	WPB-617    Emergency    None required
b. _____	:	\$ _____	:	
	:		:	WPB-617    Emergency    None required

I CERTIFY that to the best of my knowledge the information contained herein is true and correct, that this lumber is essential for food or fiber production, and that I have not received more than 300 board feet in small sales from dealers during the current calendar quarter.

(Date)

(OVER)

(Signature of applicant)

(Reverse)

Itemized list of lumber requested on this application

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## SUGGESTIONS FOR FIGURING BOARD FEET FROM LINEAL FEET

For 2x4 inches take one-third from the lineal feet.  
For 2x6 inches the lineal feet and the board feet are the same.  
For 2x8 inches add one-third to the lineal feet.  
For 1x4 inches take one-third of the lineal feet.  
For 1x6 inches take one-half of the lineal feet.  
For 1x8 inches take one-third from the lineal feet, etc.

INFORMATION TO BE SUPPLIED BY THE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

Application Number \_\_\_\_\_ County Quotas: AA-2 \_\_\_\_\_ bd. ft., AA-3 \_\_\_\_\_ bd. ft.

Date of application \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Issued: AA-2 \_\_\_\_\_ bd. ft., AA-3 \_\_\_\_\_ bd. ft.

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Remaining Quotas: AA-2 \_\_\_\_\_ bd. ft., AA-3 \_\_\_\_\_ bd. ft.

Amount Issued for: repairs\_\_\_\_\_bd. ft., New construction\_\_\_\_\_bd. ft.

Other Information:

County Agricultural Conservation Committee

By \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of authorized County Committee  
Official)



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_

FARMER'S LUMBER CERTIFICATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

is hereby authorized to secure \_\_\_\_\_ board feet of lumber. In order to use this certificate to get lumber, the farmer must turn it over to his lumber dealer. The order placed by the above-named person bears a preference rating of AA \_\_\_\_\_. The dealer may extend this certificate as provided in WPB Order L-335. If this certificate is not turned over to the lumber dealer within 10 days of issuance, it is void and must be returned to the County Agricultural Conservation Committee by the farmer:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Issuance

By \_\_\_\_\_, Chairman

\_\_\_\_\_, County AC Committee

Received \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

By \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Lumber Dealer





## Lumber Distribution Report for the Month of \_\_\_\_\_

By the \_\_\_\_\_ County AAA Committee

(Mail this report to the State AAA Committee not later than the 26th of each month).

	AA-2 Ratings	AA-3 Ratings
1. Balance of quota at start of this month (This should check with the amount shown in item 7 of your report for the previous month)		
2. Number of Certificates issued during month		
3. Total board feet issued during month		
4. Number of certificates returned (void certificates)		
5. Board feet returned (on void certificates)		
6. Other changes in quota during this month		
7. Balance of quota end of this month		
8. Total board feet issued for maintenance & repair		
9. Total board feet issued for new construction		
10. Remarks _____		
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Date \_\_\_\_\_

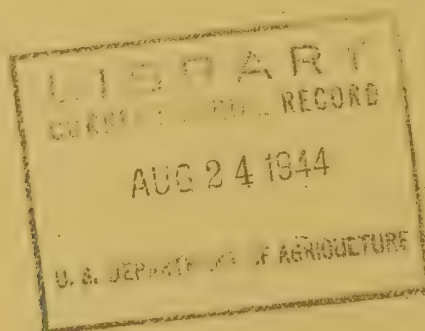
\_\_\_\_\_ Chairman

\_\_\_\_\_ County AAA Committee

(Instructions on reverse side)

Separate Columns are provided for entering information on the status of each of your quotas, 1A-2 and 1A-3.

- Item 1: Enter here the balance of your quotas as of the beginning of the period. Check these figures with those shown in Item 7 of your report for the previous month of this calendar quarter.
- Item 2: Enter here the actual number of certificates issued during the period.
- Item 3: Enter here the total number of board feet issued during the period.
- Item 4: Enter here the number of certificates returned (void certificates) during the period.
- Item 5: Enter here the total number of board feet returned (on void certificates) during the period.
- Item 6: Enter here other changes in your quotas during the period. This will include county quotas returned to the State Committee, additional allotments from the State Committee, etc. Reductions should be indicated by a minus (-) sign. Changes should be explained in Remarks under Item 10.
- Item 7: Enter here the balance of your quotas at the end of the period. Check your report. Item 1 plus (or minus) Item 6 plus Item 5 minus Item 3 equals Item 7.
- Item 8: Enter here the total number of board feet issued during the period for maintenance and repair as recorded on the reverse side of properly completed application forms (FL-200).
- Item 9: Enter here the total number of board feet issued during the period for new construction as recorded on the reverse side of properly completed application forms (FL-200). Item 8 plus Item 9 should equal Item 3.





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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D. C.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 74

Feed-10

SUBJECT: Filing of FPA Form 5

Some mixed feed manufacturers are filing FPA Form 5's with State and county committees. Any such forms filed with State and county committees shall be immediately mailed to the AAA Regional Director for transmittal to the Feed and Livestock Branch.

As stated in Special Services Memorandum 59, Feed 8, the information filed on FPA Form 5 will be used as a basis of establishing quotas by the Feed and Livestock Branch.

When such quotas have been approved for the mixed feed manufacturers of a State, the list of approved quotas will be furnished the State AAA committee and its advisory committee through the appropriate AAA Regional Director for his information.

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在家中休息。  
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在家中休息。

下午二时，  
往公园散步。

1911年11月13日

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在家中休息。  
下午二时，  
往公园散步。

1911年11月14日

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在家中休息。  
下午二时，  
往公园散步。

1911年11月15日

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在家中休息。  
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WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D. C.



April 18, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 75

Construction-39

SUBJECT: Electrical Utility Connections

This memorandum supersedes Special Services Memoranda 41 and 55 issued relative to the obtaining of utility connections to farms.

The greatly increased demand for radio and radar type transformers by the Armed Services has resulted in a severe limitation on the production of distribution transformers of the size generally used for making farm connections (5 KVA and smaller).

In order to bring the demand for these distribution transformers closely in line with the available supply, the Office of War Utilities has issued, on April 6, amended Orders U-1-c, U-1-d, U-1-f and U-1-h. These orders place further restrictions on electrical service to farms.

Changes from Special Services Memoranda 41 and 55 are indicated by an asterisk.

Copies of WPB Office of War Utilities Administrative Letter of April 6, 1944, (WPB I-1722) which explains these changes in detail, are being forwarded to all State offices in sufficient quantity to furnish one for each county, together with amended (April 6, 1944) copies of Order U-1-c, U-1-d, U-1-f and U-1-h.

I. U-1-c. Most farm connections will be made by authorization included in this order. Under its terms, connections may be made to new construction or existing structures.

A. All of the following requirements must be met:

1. Farmer must possess or can obtain one of the following types of equipment:

- |                             |                    |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| a. Water pump for livestock | e. Brooder         |
| b. Milking machine          | f. Feed grinder    |
| c. Milk cooler              | g. Milk sterilizer |
| d. Incubator                |                    |

2. There is no other means of operating such equipment on the premises.

\*3. The length of the connection including any part built by or for the consumer will not exceed 100 feet per animal unit determined in accordance with Schedule I, outlined in Part I, B-1 of this memorandum.

- \*4. The prospective consumer will use electric service to operate equipment for farm production and has livestock on hand aggregating not less than five animal units, determined in accordance with Schedule I.
- \*5. The farmer's application for service is accompanied by certification from his County Agricultural Conservation Committee in substantially the following form:

(To the Utility Addressed:)

Mr. ...., who has livestock on hand aggregating not less than five animal units is eligible for an electric connection of \_\_\_\_\_ feet under the terms of Supplementary Utilities Order U-1-c. In the opinion of this County Agricultural Conservation Committee, this connection will result in a substantial increase in farm production or a substantial saving of farm labor, and is in accord with the spirit as well as the letter of Supplementary Utilities Order U-1-c.

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(For County Agricultural  
Conservation Committee)

- \*6. The length of any continuous extension built in any calendar quarter, including any part built by or for the consumer, does not exceed 5,000 feet, and the cost of material for such extension, excluding the cost of material for any part built by or for the consumer, does not exceed \$1500.

B. Schedule I - Equivalent Animal Units

\*1. Livestock on hand:

1 milk cow .....	One unit
10 beef cattle (all cattle, including calves other than milk cows and cattle in feed lot) ..	One unit
20 cattle (in feed lot) .....	One unit
30 breeding ewes .....	One unit
160 lambs (in feed lot) .....	One unit
3 brood sows .....	One unit
30 feeder pigs .....	One unit
75 laying hens .....	One unit
600 chickens (broilers) .....	One unit
250 chickens (not laying hens or broilers) .....	One unit
40 turkeys or geese (in laying flock) .....	One unit
125 turkeys or geese (not in laying flock) .....	One unit
6 milk goats .....	One unit
30 goats (other than milk goats) .....	One unit
160 kids .....	One unit



\*2. "Estimated production of livestock" may no longer be used in computing the number of animal units to determine the permissible length of extensions. Only livestock "on hand" may be used in the computation. Livestock which a farmer has already purchased or actually contracted to purchase may constitute livestock "on hand". If a farmer can show to his County Agricultural Conservation Committee a written agreement accepted by a prospective supplier for delivery of livestock, the livestock represented on the purchase agreement may be counted as livestock on hand. However, the farmer's "intent" to purchase livestock is not sufficient to justify the inclusion of the intended purchase as animal units "on hand".

\*II. Order U-1-d. Agricultural consumers whose premises are being built or remodeled under specific authorization issued pursuant to Conservation Order L-41 no longer qualify for an extension of service under U-1-d. Utilities Order U-1-c is applicable to such extensions if the farm has sufficient animal units. This order, therefore, no longer applies to farmers.

\*III. Order U-1-f. The number of farmers who will be able to obtain electrical connections under this order is limited. The principal provisions are:

A. Not more than 500 feet of extension per consumer, including secondary and service drop, is permitted.

B. No extension of primary or no new transformer installation, except to replace transformers installed and in service, is permitted.

IV. Order U-1-g. This order provides authorization for connections for temporary service. They may be made when the following conditions are satisfied:

A. The cost of material for such utility extensions is less than \$1500.

B. Such extensions will be dismantled at the expiration of ninety days from date of installation and all material salvaged and returned to inventory.

\*V. Order U-1-h. This order no longer applies to farmers.

VI. Order U-1-i. This order permits utility companies to supply electrical service for the operation of irrigation water pumps when all of the following conditions are satisfied:

A. The prospective consumer possesses an electrically driven irrigation water pump not smaller than 25 g.p.m., or can obtain such a pump without priorities assistance, or a preference rating of AA-5 or better has been assigned to delivery of such a pump to him.

B. There is no other means of operating such a pump on the premises.

C. The total cost of material for the extension, exclusive of any part built by or for the consumer, does not exceed \$1500. No job or project may be subdivided to come within these limits.

D. No other producer can render the same service with lesser amounts of old critical material.

E. The extension is necessary to provide irrigation for not less than five acres of land.

F. The prospective consumer's application for service is accompanied by a certification from his County Agricultural Conservation Committee in substantially the following form:

(To the Utility Addressed:)

Mr. .... is eligible under Supplementary Utilities Order U-1-i for an electric connection to provide service for an electrically driven irrigation water pump not smaller than 25 g.p.m. In the opinion of this County Agricultural Conservation Committee, this connection will result in the irrigation of not less than five acres of land and a substantial increase in farm production, and is in accord with the spirit as well as the letter of Supplementary Utilities Order U-1-i.

(For County Agricultural  
Conservation Committee)

\*VII. Appeals for connections which are not authorized by any of the above-mentioned orders. Where a new power line connection cannot be made under the provisions of any of the above-mentioned orders, the utility company may submit an appeal on Form WPB-2774 to the Office of War Utilities, War Production Board. Utility companies have been supplied with forms and information as to the procedure to be followed. For the present the Office of War Utilities has decided to defer giving approval for the construction of extensions except in the following cases:

A. Appeals for extensions to serve construction authorized under Conservation Order L-41 by issuance of a specific authorization.

B. Appeals for farm extensions in excess of the 5,000 foot or \$1500 limits of Order U-1-c, if the extension meets the following requirements:

1. It will serve farms with ten or more milk cows or 750 laying hens each, which have sufficient animal units to qualify the extension on the basis of U-1-c standards. Animal units on farms which have less than ten milk cows or 750 laying hens may not be counted in calculating permissible length.

2. The appeal is supported by County Agricultural Conservation Committee U-1-c certifications.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
deLendrecie Building  
Fargo, North Dakota  
July 13, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 75

Supplies - 6

SUBJECT: Procurement of Electric Motors, Generators, Hay Drying Units, and Blowers (Fans) for Agricultural Use.

This memorandum is concerned with the procurement for on-farm use of the following equipment:

- (a) Electric motors 1 HP and over, except motors used as an accessory to an internal combustion engine (starter motors), motors used for powering an irrigation pump and motors purchased as a component part of new farm machinery and equipment manufactured under L-257.
- (b) Electric generators 3/4 KW and over, except engine-driven generator sets. (Engine-driven generator sets should be handled as an application for a gasoline engine. Show on Form GA-276 the horsepower of the engine rather than the output of the generator).
- (c) Hay drying units (electric motor and blower, or fan, as a unit).
- (d) Blowers or fans to be used in connection with drying hay.

The War Food Administration and the War Production Board agreed to put into effect on July 5, 1944, a coordinated procedure for processing WPB-541 applications for equipment of the type listed above. The War Production Board has instructed its Field Offices to issue ratings on WPB-541 applications for the above mentioned equipment only when such applications are accompanied by letters of recommendation from the County AAA Committee for the county in which the applicant's farm is located. Recent War Production Board field instructions require their Field Offices to file monthly reports showing the number of WPB-541 applications for electric motors approved each month and certain end uses to be made of the motors.

I. Responsibility of the County Committee:


- (a) Inform community committeemen of this procedure in order that they may inform the farmers.
- (b) Review the farmer's application (WPB-541) for any equipment covered by this memorandum and determine whether there is real need for the equipment on the farm, and, in the case of electric motors, whether the farmer has made reasonable efforts to procure a used or reconditioned motor.

- (c) Forward approved applications directly to the nearest WPB Field Office. The letter of transmittal shall include (1) a statement that the committee has approved the application, and (2) in the case of electric motors, a statement describing the use to be made of the motor. (If the use is not described, the application may be disapproved by WPB.)
- (d) Return disapproved applications to the farmer applicant giving reasons for disapproval.
- (e) Forward an appealed application to the District WPB Field Office with a letter explaining why it has been denied by the committee.

II. Responsibility of the Farmer Applicant:

- (a) Make reasonable efforts to procure a used or reconditioned electric motor by contacting several sources of supply.
- (b) Prepare a WPB-541 application for any item of equipment covered by this procedure, and file the application with the County AAA Committee.

If the applicant believes his application was improperly considered, he may appeal the decision of the county committee by returning the application to the committee with any additional information pertinent to the case.

  
J. E. Kasper, Chairman  
State Committee



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Fargo, North Dakota  
July 15, 1944

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SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 76

Machinery Rationing - 27

SUBJECT: New Machinery Rationing Order

A revision in the machinery rationing order, (2nd Revision, Supplementary Order 1, WFO 14) becomes effective July 20, 1944. This revision reduces the number of machines which are rationed. A memorandum outlining the changes in the rationing procedure is being prepared and will follow soon.

The only immediate effect on the rationing program is that beginning July 20, 1944 only the following 19 implements in the new Schedules I and II will be rationed.

Schedule I

Manure Spreaders  
Combines  
Corn Binders  
Corn Pickers  
Mowers  
Side-delivery Rakes  
Hay Loaders  
Pick-up Balers  
Tractors

Schedule II

Potato Planters  
Grain Drills  
Power Sprayers (except traction  
sprayers)  
Potato Diggers  
Ensilage Cutters  
Garden Tractors  
Deep and Shallow Well Water Systems  
Power Pumps  
Irrigation Pumps  
Farm Milk Coolers

The present rationing procedure will remain unchanged until October 1, 1944 except for the above mentioned reduction in the number of items rationed.

County quotas remain in effect for the items listed in the new Schedule I above. There are no quota restrictions on any of the Schedule II items listed above and the procedure outlined in Special Services Memorandum-9, Machinery Rationing-2 for Schedule II equipment should be followed.

Items of farm machinery or equipment not listed in Schedules I or II above are not rationed and no purchase certificate is necessary to purchase them.

*J. E. Kasper*  
J. E. Kasper, Chairman  
State Committee

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AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D. C.

April 24, 1944



SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 76

Machinery Rationing-123  
Amendment-1

SUBJECT: 1944 Programs for Distribution of Pressure Canners  
(Food Production Order No. 14, Supplementary  
Order No. 4, Revision 2, dated April 11, 1944)

Attached is a copy of FPO-14, Supplementary Order No. 4, Revision  
No. 2.

Supplementary Order No. 4 has been revised to change the terminology  
of the order from "pressure cooker" to "pressure canner." Also, a  
new section has been added (See Section 1202.410) to cover trans-  
fers for export.

The revised order does not change the operation of the program as  
outlined in Special Services Memorandum 18, Machinery Rationing-123,  
dated December 20, 1943.

The production of pressure canners for 1944 as authorized by the  
War Production Board in Order L-30-d, Direction 1, dated January 31,  
1944, is as follows:

	<u>7-quart size</u>	<u>14-quart size</u>
Burpee Can Sealer Co., Barrington, Ill.	39,500	10,000
National Aluminum Mfg. Co., Peoria, Ill.	34,000	22,500
Wisconsin Aluminum Foundry Co., Manitowoc, Wisc.	53,000	5,000
Pressure Cooker Co., Denver, Colo.	6,000	---
National Pressure Cooker Co., Eau Claire, Wisc.	153,500	62,500
Lakeside Aluminum Co., Minneapolis, Minn.	14,000	---
	<u>300,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>





## WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION

[FPO 14, Supp. Order 4, Rev. 2]

## PART 1202—FARM MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT

## PRESSURE CANNERS

Supplementary Order No. 4 (8 F.R. 17463) to Food Production Order No. 14 (8 F.R. 17456), is hereby revised and amended in its entirety to read as follows:

Sec.

- 1202.401 Purpose of this supplementary order.
- 1202.402 Scope.
- 1202.403 Compliance with this supplementary order.
- 1202.404 Transfer of pressure canners by manufacturers.
- 1202.405 Transfers for use in canning food products in the continental United States.
- 1202.406 Transfers for use other than in canning food products.
- 1202.407 Transfers to a Federal agency.
- 1202.408 Transfers to territories and possessions of the United States.
- 1202.409 Transfers for use in the territories and possessions of the United States.
- 1202.410 Transfers for export.
- 1202.411 Records and reports.
- 1202.412 Communications.
- 1202.413 Incorporation into Food Production Order No. 14.

**AUTHORITY:** §§ 1202.401 to 1202.413, inclusive, issued under 54 Stat. 676, 55 Stat. 236, 56 Stat. 176; E.O. 9280, 9322, 9334, 9392; 7 F.R. 10179, 8 F.R. 3807, 5423, 14783.

§ 1202.401 *Purpose of this supplementary order.* This supplementary order explains the procedure to be followed in distributing new pressure canners from manufacturers to retail outlets and it also sets forth the requirements of the rationing program which are of special importance to persons desiring such equipment. This supplementary order should be read in conjunction with Food Production Order No. 14 which establishes the general rationing program and which contains definitions of certain terms used herein.

§ 1202.402 *Scope.* This supplementary order deals only with new pressure canners, which are rationed farm equipment as defined in Food Production Order No. 14. As used herein, "pressure canner" means any device commonly known as a pressure cooker or pressure canner which may be used for canning food products under steam pressure, which has a capacity of 7 or 14 one-quart glass jars, and which is equipped with a dial, indicating or weighted gauge, a venting device, and a safety valve.

§ 1202.403 *Compliance with this supplementary order.* No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of any pressure canner, except pursuant to this supplementary order or pursuant to directions which may be issued by the Director.

§ 1202.404 *Transfers of pressure canners by manufacturers.* (a) Subject to the provisions of this supplementary order, a manufacturer may transfer in the continental United States (1) any pressure canners manufactured by him other than those manufactured pursuant to the authorization contained in War Production Board Order L-30-d (9 F.R. 1106), Direction 1 (9 F.R. 1108), and (2) 80 percent of his scheduled production of pressure canners under War Production Board Order L-30-d, Direction 1.

(b) Twenty percent of each manufacturer's scheduled production of pressure canners under War Production Board Order L-30-d, Direction 1, shall constitute a reserve. The Director is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to direct the transfer of such reserve. In so doing, the Director may direct the transfer of a manufacturer's current production at any given time, or he may direct the transfer of the reserve from the inventory of pressure canners.

§ 1202.405 *Transfers for use in canning food products in the continental United States.* Notwithstanding any provision of Food Production Order No. 14, any person may make a transfer or accept a transfer, without a purchase certificate, of any pressure canners in the continental United States for use in the canning of food products, except that a Federal agency shall be subject to the provisions of § 1202.407 of this supplementary order.

§ 1202.406 *Transfers for use other than in canning food products.* No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of any pressure canner for use other than in canning food products, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.407 *Transfers to a Federal agency.* No Federal agency may accept a transfer of any pressure canner, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.408 *Transfers to territories and possessions of the United States.* No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of any pressure canner for shipment to Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, or any other territory or possession of the United States, except

pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.409 *Transfers for use in the territories and possessions of the United States.* Notwithstanding any provision of Food Production Order No. 14, the Farm Rationing Committee for Alaska, Hawaii and for Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands is hereby authorized, in its discretion, to direct the distribution of pressure canners and to prescribe the uses for which they may be transferred. The Farm Rationing Committee shall at all times serve the objectives sought by the rationing program and allocate pressure canners in such manner as will afford the maximum contribution to agricultural production.

§ 1202.410 *Transfers for export.* No person shall make a transfer or accept a transfer of pressure canners for shipment, nor shall any person ship pressure canners, outside the continental United States, its territories and possessions, except pursuant to a written authorization from the Director.

§ 1202.411 *Records and reports.* Each manufacturer shall maintain records which will enable him upon request from time to time by the Director to report the total number of each size of pressure canners produced and the total number of each size distributed to each State. Each manufacturer shall also make such other reports as the Director may from time to time request, subject to the approval of the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942. (The record keeping requirement of this section has been approved by the Bureau of the Budget in accordance with the Federal Reports Act of 1942.)

§ 1202.412 *Communications.* All communications concerning this Supplementary Order No. 4 to Food Production Order No. 14, shall, unless otherwise directed, be addressed to the Director of the Office of Materials and Facilities, War Food Administration, Washington 25, D. C., Ref: FPO 14, Supp. 4.

§ 1202.413 *Incorporation into Food Production Order No. 14.* This Supplementary Order No. 4 shall be added to and become a part of Food Production Order No. 14 and any violation of this Supplementary Order No. 4 shall be deemed to be a violation of Food Production Order No. 14.

Issued this 11th day of April 1944.

WILSON COWEN,  
Assistant War Food Administrator.





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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
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AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D. C.

April 27, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 77

Construction-38  
(Amendment 1)

SUBJECT: Distribution of Copper Wire

Because of the decrease in production of distribution transformers, it has become necessary for the WPB to further restrict the making of electrical connections. The tightening up on authorizations for these connections in WPB Orders U-1-c, U-1-d, U-1-f and U-1-h, and in the granting of approvals on appeals submitted on Forms WPB-2774, has been explained in Special Services Memorandum 75.

It is expected that the number of connections permitted will be approximately 40 percent of the number permitted previous to the time the revised orders took effect.

The WFA allotment for the 2d quarter was established on the basis of the more liberal standards of the previous utility orders. The present State quotas were established on the same basis. As a result these quotas are much larger than required for a program under current regulations. In order to make the excess amount of copper wire available for other essential programs, each State's quota is hereby reduced in the amount of 30 percent. A reserve is being kept at the Washington level for supplemental needs.

Corrections in Special Services Memorandum 54

Last paragraph of part II-C on page 3, should read as follows: "For example: A farm that has an unwired labor house and requires an extension to serve one building housing 150 laying hens (2 animal units) could be permitted a maximum of 45 pounds, (20 for service buildings, 15 for labor house and 10 for poultry house) in conductor."

Page 7, part VI-C, should read as follows: "Where copper wire is to be used in new construction which requires WPB Approval under Conservation Order L-41, the allotment number will be furnished the applicant by the WPB if the project is approved. The WPB has provided a copper wire allotment to its regional offices for this purpose. County committees should not issue CNPL-361 certificates for copper wire to be used in construction requiring WPB approval."

Page 7, 2d paragraph of part VI-F, should read as follows: "This order provides that in each calendar quarter a repairman may buy, under this regulation, a total of 500 pounds of copper and copper base alloy, brass mill, and foundry products (also steel and aluminum) in the forms listed in Schedule I of the Order." Delete last sentence.

Page 10, application Form CW-200 Revised, question 6, should read as follows:

Livestock on hand (number)  
(With equivalent animal unit values)

1 milk cow	_____	75 laying hens	_____
10 beef cattle (all cattle, including calves, other than milk cows and cattle in feed lot)	_____	600 chickens (broilers)	_____
20 cattle (in feed lot)	_____	250 chickens (not laying hens or broilers)	_____
30 breeding ewes	_____	40 turkeys or geese (in laying flock)	_____
160 lambs (in feed lot)	_____	125 turkeys or geese (not in laying flock)	_____
3 brood sows	_____	6 milk goats	_____
30 feeder pigs	_____	30 goats (other than milk goats)	_____
		160 kids	_____

If need for this wiring is based on other than livestock production, attach details.



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SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 78

Construction-40

SUBJECT: Supplemental Farm Lumber Program

For the first quarter of 1944 the War Food Administration received authorization to issue AA-2 ratings for 200,000,000 board feet of lumber for farm use. Of this amount ratings were issued for 176,647,223 board feet, leaving an unissued balance of 23,352,777 board feet or 11.7% of the total quota.

In order that the second quarter allotment may be utilized to the fullest possible extent, we are urging each State Committee to examine its respective quotas and requirements and return any surplus quota to this office. If the State Committee believes its quota is too small, requests for additional allotments should be made so that adjustments can be made where justified. All returns and requests for additional allotments should be received by this office as early as possible in May.

Below is a summary by States of the distribution of lumber during the first quarter.

FIRST QUARTER SUMMARY OF DISTRIBUTION OF AA-2 RATINGS  
FOR FARM LUMBER  
BY AAA COMMITTEES

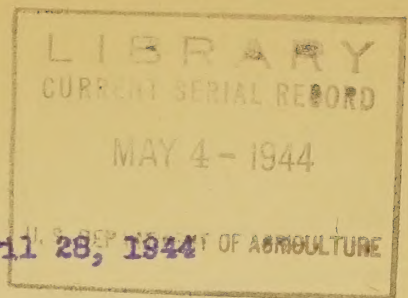
State	Quota Bd. Ft.	Total Unissued Bd. Ft.	Amount Issued Bd. Ft.	Percent
<u>East Central Region</u>				
Delaware	...	...	...	...
Kentucky	500,000	269,231	230,769	46.2
Maryland	1,000,000	662,645	337,355	33.7
North Carolina	...	...	...	...
Tennessee	...	...	...	...
Virginia	1,000,000	792,480	207,520	20.8
West Virginia	100,000	58,935	41,065	41.1
Total East Central	2,600,000	1,783,291	816,709	31.4
<u>Northeast Region</u>				
Connecticut	1,250,000	702,804	547,196	43.7
Maine	...	...	...	...
Massachusetts	1,000,000	876,982	123,018	12.3
New Hampshire	...	...	...	...
New Jersey	1,000,000	229,034	770,966	77.1
New York	3,000,000	1,163,403	1,836,597	61.2
Pennsylvania	3,000,000	1,366,875	1,633,125	54.4
Rhode Island	...	...	...	...
Vermont	250,000	183,645	66,355	26.5
Total N. E. Region	9,500,000	4,522,743	4,977,257	52.4

State	Quota	Total Unissued	Amount Issued	
	Bd. Ft.	Bd. Ft.	Bd. Ft.	Percent
<u>North Central Region</u>				
Illinois	19,000,000	4,564,489	14,435,511	76.0
Indiana	8,000,000	2,374,405	5,625,595	70.4
Iowa	33,500,000	119,125	33,380,875	99.8
Michigan	6,000,000	3,359,865	2,640,135	44.0
Missouri	7,750,000	1,629,971	6,120,029	79.0
Minnesota	22,000,000	422,560	21,577,440	98.0
Nebraska	11,481,886	...	11,481,886	100.0
Ohio	6,500,000	1,150,918	5,439,082	83.8
South Dakota	11,000,000	545,912	10,454,088	95.2
Wisconsin	16,000,000	6,030,776	9,969,224	62.3
Total North Central	141,231,886	20,197,021	121,034,865	85.8
<u>Southern Region</u>				
Alabama	...	...	...	...
Arkansas	2,000,000	1,761,142	238,858	11.9
Florida	...	...	...	...
Georgia	...	...	...	...
Louisiana	400,000	235,999	164,001	41.0
Mississippi	...	...	...	...
Oklahoma	3,500,000	1,037,037	2,462,963	70.5
South Carolina	...	...	...	...
Texas	10,000,000	2,085,852	7,914,148	79.1
Total Southern Region	15,900,000	5,120,030	10,779,970	67.7
<u>Western Region</u>				
Arizona	650,000	...	650,000	100.0
California	6,000,000	1,110,656	4,889,334	81.5
Colorado	3,000,000	45,326	2,954,674	98.5
Idaho	2,000,000	...	2,000,000	100.0
Kansas	9,000,000	1,138,608	7,861,392	87.3
Montana	6,000,000	256,330	5,743,670	95.7
Nevada	150,000	129,800	20,200	13.5
New Mexico	170,071	...	170,071	100.0
North Dakota	10,000,000	58,163	9,941,837	99.4
Oregon	1,100,000	178,925	921,075	83.9
Utah	1,001,175	...	1,001,175	100.0
Washington	2,200,000	365,108	1,834,892	83.4
Wyoming	1,500,000	448,908	1,051,092	70.1
Total Western Region	42,771,246	3,731,824	39,039,422	91.0
U. S. Totals	212,003,132	35,355,909	176,647,223	83.4
Over-allotment to States	12,003,132	12,003,132	...	...
WFA Allotment	200,000,000	23,352,777	176,647,223	88.3



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D.C.



SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 79

Feed 9 -- Amendment 1

SUBJECT: Additional Instructions for May Allocation of Oilseed  
Meals by State Committees and Advisory Committees

Paragraph 4 of Special Services Memorandum 73, Feed 9, is amended  
as follows for the States of:

South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Mississippi,  
Arkansas, Louisiana, North Carolina, Tennessee, and  
Kentucky.

All meal not allocated by May 5 shall be turned back to the mills  
by issuing a certificate showing the processor as the designated  
buyer and reporting promptly to the AAA regional director the  
amount so turned back.

In all States the following additional instructions will be in  
effect beginning with the May allocation. If any meal is not accepted  
by the designated buyer who was issued a certificate under paragraphs 2  
and 3, a new certificate shall not be issued to another buyer. Such  
meal which was refused on the original certificate shall be turned back  
promptly by wire to the AAA regional director.

/s/ H. E. Dodd

April 20, 1934

Field - New York

ST. PAUL & NORTHERN PACIFIC - 10

REURTEL, April 19, 1934. Instructions for the allocation of officers  
to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company.

Enclosed for the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company are  
two copies of the following:

- 1. List of officers to be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company.
- 2. List of officers to be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company.

All officers allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company  
shall be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company  
and shall be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company  
and shall be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company.

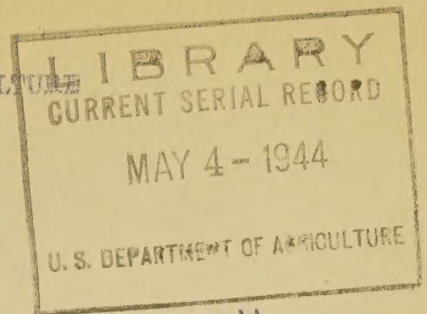
In all cases the following instructions shall be followed:  
1. All officers allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company  
shall be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company  
and shall be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company  
and shall be allocated to the St. Paul & Northern Pacific Railway Company.

Very truly yours,  
[Signature]



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WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION  
AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT AGENCY  
Washington 25, D. C.



April 29, 1944

SPECIAL SERVICES MEMORANDUM - 80

Construction - 41

SUBJECT: Revisions in L-41 Agricultural Handbook

Conservation Order L-41, as amended April 19, 1944, contains the following three important changes affecting agricultural construction:

- (1) Not more than \$200 out of the total \$1,000 exemption per farm may be spent on any farmhouse on the farm. (Labor cabins, barracks or bunkhouses designed for use by seasonal laborers needed to insure harvesting of agricultural crops are classified as agricultural construction and as such the \$1,000 exemption permitted per farm applies.)
- (2) Farm silos manufactured by a producer as defined in Order L-257 may be erected without L-41 approval.
- (3) The installation of plumbing and heating equipment requires L-41 approval (Form WPB-617) where the construction cost, including the cost of equipment, is in excess of L-41 limits. Where these limits are not exceeded, priority assistance may be requested from the nearest WPB District Office on Form WPB-1319. Form WPB-2631 (formerly PD-351) is no longer used for applications involving plumbing and heating equipment.

Pages 1, 5 and 20 of the Construction Handbook will be revised in accordance with the above changes in Order L-41. Copies of these revised pages and of Order L-41, as amended April 19, 1944, will be sent under separate cover. We suggest that upon receipt these be transmitted to county offices so that all handbooks in use may be kept up to date.

